

FOI 2122145- Personal health budgets

NHS Calderdale CCG's response to your request can be found below.

1. What type of personal health budgets does the CCG offer – wheelchairs, maternity, mental health, end of life, continuing health care, continuing care for children, Section 117, learning disabilities.
 - The CCG offers all the above cohorts of personal health budgets at point of commissioning.
 - Personal wheelchair budgets are offered as part of the Posture and Mobility Service.
2. For an individual starting out on their personal health budget journey who would be their first point of contact for each of the above cohorts and what are their contact details?
 - First point of contact would be the individual case manager within the Continuing Healthcare team at the CCG who commissions the package of care, or the Direct Payments Team in the Local Authority.
 - The Posture and Mobility Service provided by Ross Care would be the first point of contact for a personal wheelchair budget
3. Which commissioned third party organisations do you use to support the delivery of personal health budgets – for example Direct Payment Support Services, payroll companies, brokers.
 - The Local Authority use AK Payroll to help clients manage their personal health budget accounts.
4. Which non-commissioned support organisations do you work with to support the delivery of personal health budgets, for example charities, advocacy, voluntary organisations that you may signpost to?
 - Skills for Care
 - Disability Partnership
 - Alzheimer's Society
 - Charities linked to an individual's disability/condition
 - Noah's Ark
 - Imagineer

Attached are lists of organisations used by the Posture and Mobility Service.

5. Do you envisage that the above information will change when organisations operate with their partners in Integrated Care Systems (ICSs) from April 2022 – for example will personal health budgets be managed at place level or by the Integrated Care System?
 - The delivery of personal health budgets is a local service and it is expected that this will continue at place.
 - Personal wheelchair budgets will still be managed through the Posture and Mobility Service.